

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 11 Nov 2023 until 23:59 on Sunday 12 Nov 2023

Forecast Issued on Saturday 11 Nov 2023 at 03:30 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High becoming Low in details from Monday.

Headline for Saturday 11 Nov 2023: Bright or sunny spells. Chilly.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 11 Nov 2023

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

Low Likelihood

Poor visibility

Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Sleet showers (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
30%	10%	<05%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Saturday 11 Nov 2023

Weather: Dry and mostly sunny during daylight hours, although the odd wintry showers possible in the north in the morning. Clear skies in the evening with a widespread frost developing and some freezing fog patches in the glens.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Patches or occasional cloud during the morning mainly in the north, base 600 to 900m, otherwise no significant cloud. Visibility mostly good or very good, except in any cloud and showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	26/29 NW	25/30 N	16/20 NW	13/15 N	12/17 NE	9/13 NE	5/7 NE
900	15/18 NW	16/20 N	11/15 NW	6/8 N	6/11 NE	5/9 NE	4/6 NE
600	9/15 NW	9/16 NW	7/11 NW	3/6 W	3/7 N	2/5 SW	1/3 SW
300	3/12 W	4/15 NW	6/14 NW	2/8 NW	4/9 NW	3/5 NW	3/5 W
Glen	3/13 W	5/16 NW	7/14 NW	3/7 W	3/6 W	3/5 W	3/5 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	-1/-9	-1/-9	-1/-8	-2/-7	-2/-8	-2/-7	-2/-6
900	1/-5	1/-5	1/-4	0/-3	-1/-4	-1/-4	-1/-4
600	3/-1	2/-2	3/-0	3/1	1/-1	0/-1	-1/-2
300	4/2	4/2	6/4	5/4	2/-0	0/-2	-1/-3
Glen	4/3	5/3	7/5	6/5	2/1	0/-1	-0/-2
Freezing Level*	1000m	900m	900m	900m	800m	800m	700m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

A lovely Autumnal day.

Forecast for Sunday 12 Nov 2023

Weather: Clear skies with a widespread frost overnight and some freezing fog patches in the glens. Any freezing fog slow to clear, otherwise dry and bright for much of the day with some sunshine. Cloud developing in the evening with some patchy rain and summit snow possible. Southeasterly winds also freshening.

Maximum wind: East or Southeast 10 to 15mph increasing 25mph gusting 35mph by evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90% falling 30% during the evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Nil significant low for much of the day, but becoming extensive, base 600 to 900m through the evening. Visibility mostly good or very good, except in any mist and freezing fog. Becoming moderate to very poor through the evening.

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 4 Celsius rising to plus 4 Celsius
At 800m: Zero to Minus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: Most levels, rising to 800m late in the day.